

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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CRIM. NO.

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**ORDER REGARDING USE OF VIDEO CONFERENCING/TELECONFERENCING  
FOR FELONY PLEAS AND/OR SENTENCINGS**

In accordance with the operative COVID-19 standing orders, this Court finds:

- \_\_\_\_\_ That the Defendant (or the Juvenile) has consented to the use of video teleconferencing/teleconferencing to conduct the proceeding(s) held today, after consultation with counsel; and
- \_\_\_\_\_ That the proceeding(s) to be held today cannot be further delayed without serious harm to the interests of justice, for the following specific reasons:

Accordingly, the proceeding(s) held on this date may be conducted by:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Video Teleconferencing
- \_\_\_\_\_ Teleconferencing, because video teleconferencing is not reasonably available for the following reason:
- \_\_\_\_\_ The Defendant (or the Juvenile) is detained at a facility lacking video teleconferencing capability.

\_\_\_\_\_ Other:

Date:

  
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United States District Judge